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		Issue Date	October 25, 2005
		First Named Inventor	Stephen P. DeOrnellas
		Art Unit	1765
		Examiner Name	L. Umez Eronini
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## Complete if Known

Application Number	09/692,007
Filing Date	10/19/2000
First Named Inventor	Stephen P. DeOrnellas
Examiner Name	L. Umez Eronini
Art Unit	1765
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

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#### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

Small Entity  
Fee (\$)

50

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Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

Fee (\$)

200

100

Multiple dependent claims

Fee (\$)

360

180

Total Claims      Extra Claims      Fee (\$)

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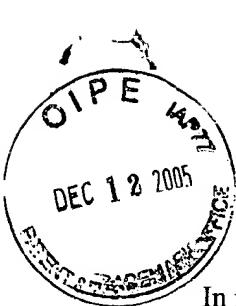
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In re Patent  
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Inventor(s): DeOrnellas et al.  
Issue Date: October 25, 2005  
Appl. No.: 09/692,007  
Filed: October 19, 2000  
Title: Method for Using a Hard Mask for Critical Dimension Growth Containment

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Art Unit: 1765  
Examiner: L. Umez Eronini

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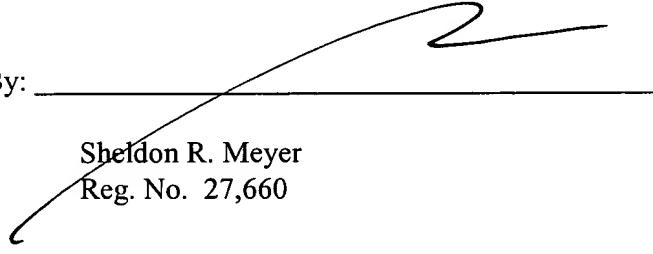
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DATED : October 25, 2005

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In claim 12, column 7 line 44, "mark" should be --mask--

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